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(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:25:

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:26:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 20 base pairs
- (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
- (C) STRANDEDNESS: single
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

← last sequence file

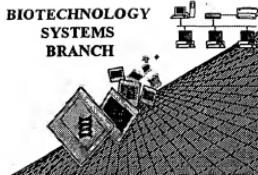
(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:26:

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**SEQUENCE VERIFICATION REPORT**  
**PATENT APPLICATION US/08/852,495B**DATE: 05/12/1999  
TIME: 15:42:19*INPUT SET: S31823.raw*

Line	Error	Original Text
11		Number of Sequences (24) Doesn't Equal Actual Count (26) (iii) NUMBER OF SEQUENCES: 24



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The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825 for the following reason(s):

1. This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to these regulations, published at 1114 OG 29, May 15, 1990 and at 55 FR 18230, May 1, 1990.

2. This application does not contain, as a separate part of the disclosure on paper copy, a "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 CFR 1.821(c).

3. A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e).

4. A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has been submitted. However, the content of the computer readable form does not comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.822 and/or 1.823, as indicated on the attached copy of the marked-up "Raw Sequence Listing."

5. The computer readable form that has been filed with this application has been found to be damaged and/or unreadable as indicated on the attached CRF Diskette Problem Report. A substitute computer readable form must be submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.825(d).

6. The paper copy of the "Sequence Listing" is not the same as the computer readable form of the "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e).

7. PAPER COPY CONTAINS SAME ERRORS  
other: \_\_\_\_\_

## Applicant must provide:

An ~~initial or~~ substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing"

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A statement that the content of the paper and computer readable copies are the same and, where applicable, include no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e) or 1.821(f) or 1.821(g) or 1.825(b) or 1.825(d)

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